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PCT/JP2	004/01116	4	August 4, 2004	August 4, 2003								
TITLE OF INVENTION OPTICAL TRANSMISSION LINE FORMATION METHOD, OPTICAL TRANSMISSION LINE AND OPTICAL FIBER												
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:												
1.	$\boxtimes$	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
2.		This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
3.	$\boxtimes$	This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.										
4.	$\boxtimes$	The US has been elected (Article 31).										
5.	⊠	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))  a.  is attached herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).  b.  has been communicated by the International Bureau.  c.  is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)										
6.		An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).										
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))  a.										
8.		An English translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).										
9.	$\boxtimes$	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).										
10.		An English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).										
Items 11	. to 16. bel	low concern other document	(s) or information included:									
11.	$\boxtimes$	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.										
12.	$\boxtimes$	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.										
13.	$\boxtimes$	A preliminary amendment.										
14.		An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.										
15.		A substitute specification.										
16.		A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.										
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.										
18.		A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
19.		A second copy of the English translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
20.		Other items or information.  1. International Search Repo 2. PCT/IB/304 3. Verification of English Trans		-								

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